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Rapidly coming into view are the new Suits and Dresses and Skirts. Oil City's style centre will continue its marked and interesting leadership. If you have marveled at the charm of ready-to-wear things as shown here in season's back you will experience no disappointment now. The best of last year are the worst of this.

Particularly attractive are the Street Suits. Take time to see them while enjoying the store. Before this moon is gone, the Garment Show will be on in earnest.

SPLENDID VALUES IN EVERY PART OF THE STORE.

The fun that had its beginning in Garments has its ending in every part of the store. With all the new things on show for Fall and Winter come many lots at special prices. A few are mentioned, but just a few. We'd rather you come and look around—enjoy the store.

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A hundred or more patterns, in New Flannelette of the 1492 quality, made by the Amoskeag Mills, and almost equal to the very best.

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In the new Art Department. Pillow Tops in the newest designs, all stamped ready to work. A splendid variety of styles to choose from.

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The heaviest and best 50c qualities we have ever sold. By buying now you save just 8c a garment. All sizes in shirts and drawers.

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All Linen Handkerchiefs, 5c.

Excellent quality of ladies' at this price and for the men's 10c. Every thread linen, too. Two better lots at 10c and two for 25c. The best values in Handkerchiefs ever shown on a counter in Oil City.

\$1.50 Double Satin Damask, 98c.

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Napkins to Match, \$2.98 Per Dozen.

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SMART & SILBERBERG, OIL CITY, PA.

NOTABLE MAN HUNTS

HOW CRIMINALS HAVE BEEN CHASED TO THE ENDS OF EARTH.

Benson, Who Posed as Mme. Patti's Agent, Chastised Justice by Death.

Relentless Energy of the Police in Tracking Counterfeiters.

There have been many long pursuits of criminals, great in the distance traveled, the obstacles overcome and the persistence of the pursuing officers, but that of Sergeant Wood of the Natal (South Africa) police is doubtless a record breaker. The man sought by Sergeant Wood was charged with embezzling large sums of money at Pietermaritzburg. He got away from South Africa and went to New York. Although the detective had information as to where his quarry was hiding, yet he had first to visit London to obtain the necessary extradition papers. Then he hurried to America and with the assistance of the United States police ran down his man. By the time he had reached Maritzburg he had been traveling hard for nearly three months and had covered nearly 21,000 miles.

One of the sternest cases of recent years was after Loys Darrell, formerly sergeant in the Seventh United States Cavalry. Darrell enlisted at the beginning of the Spanish-American war and distinguished himself at Cuba. There he fell in love with a pretty Spanish girl and began himself in trying to obtain money for his sweetheart. To obtain more money he robbed and murdered a companion in arms named Crouch. He then fled.

A detective named Dupuy was put upon the murderer's track and, finding a clue, started for New Orleans. He was right in his surmise that Darrell had gone there, but when he arrived the bird had flown. He had left on a British mule transport for South Africa. Dupuy took train for New York, fast boat for Southampton, rushed by rail across Europe, caught a boat of the German East African line and finally arrived at Beira, in Portuguese East Africa.

There he waited like a spider for a fly, and just as Darrell was fancying himself safe from pursuit he pounced upon him. Later on the detective deposited his prisoner safely in Castle William Jail in New York. He had traveled in all 31,000 miles and spent \$4,250 in the chase.

One of the most astonishing criminal cases ever produced was a man named Benson, who began operations in London with two confederates. He organized a series of swindling companies in the city, while he himself, pretending to be an invalid, lived in the greatest luxury in the Isle of Wight. He posed as a great philanthropist, was foremost in charitable works and went into the very best society. By dint of bribing certain officers of the law he lived for some years on the proceeds of his swindles. But one day the crash came. He was arrested, sentenced and got a long term in Portsmouth Jail.

No sooner was he out than he was at his old tricks again. These culminated in Switzerland, where he managed to

gain the affection of the daughter of an English officer. Through her he induced her father to trust him with the investment of his entire capital, some \$25,000. He bedded with the money, chased across Europe, a detective caught him at Bremen. To avoid scandal the victim promised not to prosecute if Benson would give up the money. The latter did so and left for America. Hardly was the vessel out of sight before it was discovered that the bundle of scrip the thief had handed over was worth at most \$100.

Followed across the Atlantic, Benson escaped to Mexico, where he made \$5,000 by passing himself off as Mme. Patti's agent and selling forged concert tickets. By this time his photograph was in almost every police bureau in the world. Yet he dodged and twisted under a dozen aliases and was heard of in almost every South American state before a clever New York detective ran him down in Rio after a two years' hunt.

Even then he cheated justice. Landed in prison in New York, he walked upstairs, chatting amiably to his jailer. Suddenly he made a spring and jumped clean over the banister. He was picked up with a broken back and died that night.

The police never exhibit more relentless energy than in hunting down a collier. A collier's crime is against government, and so the whole forces of the state are against him. The United States suffers far more from colliers than England does and is proportionately keen to run down such offenders. Early in 1900 a man named Hastings was surprised in his workshop, from which he had issued many thousands of small silver coins, but he was too quick for his would-be captors and escaped. So fewer than seven secret service men were put on his track. The remarkable fact is that Hastings never attempted to leave the states.

Ellifer, one of the detectives, got a hint that a stranger was in the woods. He took a blanket and some food and hid himself in a thicket. Very early in the morning Hastings passed, carrying a bag of food. Ellifer tracked him to his refuge and saw that the former was armed. He waited some distance away in hiding. When night came, Hastings came out with a dark lantern and searched every bush near his hiding place. At last he was satisfied and went back. So soon as Ellifer felt sure the man was asleep he crept up and had the handcuffs on him before he could awake. On the way to the jail Hastings told his captor that he had seen him on ten different occasions and had once, in Cincinnati, been within three feet of him in a theater—Chicago Chronicle.

Hear and Everts.
On one of his later birthday anniversaries Senator Hear wrote to William M. Everts and congratulated him upon his length of years. In his reply the aged lawyer said it brought to mind an old lady in New England who had occasion to write to a friend about some matter of trifling importance and when she had reached the end of the thirteenth page awakened to the fact that she had been rather diffuse and added, "Please excuse my longevity."

MARKET REPORT.

New York Provision Market.
Sept. 22.
WHEAT—No. 2 red, 75 1/4 @ 75 3/4 f. o. b. affoot; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 84 1/2 c.
CORN—No. 2 corn, 69 1/2 c. f. o. b. affoot.
OATS—No. 2 oats, 32c; No. 1 white, 34 1/2 c; No. 3 white, 32c.
PORK—Mess, \$17.75 @ 18.50; family, \$20.50 @ 21.00.
HAY—Shipping, 55 @ 70c; good to choice, 50 @ 55c.
BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 22 1/2 c; factory, 18 1/4 @ 17 1/2 c; imitation creamery, western fancy, 18 @ 18 1/2 c.
CHEESE—Fancy large white, 10 1/2 @ 10 3/4 c; small white, 11 1/2 c.
EGGS—State and Pennsylvania, 23c.
POTATOES—New York, per 180 lbs., \$1.62 @ 1.75.

Buffalo Provision Market.
Sept. 22.
WHEAT—No. 1 northern, old, 82 1/2 c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 78c.
CORN—No. 2 corn, 66 1/2 c. f. o. b. affoot; No. 3 corn, 65 1/2 c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 33c; No. 3 white, 32c.
FLOUR—Spring wheat, best patent, per 98 lbs., \$4.00 @ 4.25; low grades, \$2.25 @ 2.75.
BUTTER—Creamery, western, extra tubs, 23c; state and Pennsylvania, creamery, 22 1/2 c; dairy, fat to good, 19 1/2 @ 20c.
CHEESE—Fancy full cream, 11 1/2 @ 11 3/4 c; good to choice, 10 1/2 @ 11c; common to fair, 8 1/2 @ 9 1/2 c.
EGGS—State, fresh fancy, 22 @ 23c.
POTATOES—Per bushel, 50 @ 65c.

East Buffalo Live Stock Market.
CATTLE—Best steers on sale, \$7.50 @ 8.00; good to choice shipping steers, \$6.25 @ 6.50; fair to good steers, \$5.40 @ 6.00; choice to smooth fat heifers, \$5.00 @ 5.50; fair to good heifers, \$4.25 @ 4.75; good butcher bulls, \$3.50 @ 3.75.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Spring lambs, good to choice, \$5.15 @ 5.35; light to fair, \$4.50 @ 5.00; choice to handy wethers, \$4.00 @ 4.25.
HOGS—Mixed packers' grades, \$7.50 @ 7.75; medium hogs, \$7.75 @ 7.80; choice 240 lbs and upwards, \$7.80 @ 7.90.

Buffalo Hay Market.
HAY—New, par ton, loose, \$14.00 @ 16.00; prime v. s. track per ton, \$15.00 @ 16.00; No. 1, do., do., \$13.50 @ 14.50; No. 2, do., do., \$11.00 @ 12.00.

Little Falls Cheese Market.
Little Falls, Sept. 22.
Sales of cheese on the dairy market today were:
Large colored, 2 lots of 145 boxes at 19 1/2 c; small white, 4 lots of 225 boxes at 19 1/2 c; small white, 19 lots of 1,947 boxes at 19 1/2 c; small colored, 5 lots of 206 boxes at 19 1/2 c; small colored, 16 lots of 1,911 boxes at 19 1/2 c; twins, colored, 8 lots of 508 boxes at 19 1/2 c; twins, white, 3 lots of 272 boxes at 19 1/2 c; twins, white, 19 lots of 1,979 boxes at 19 1/2 c.

Utica Cheese Market.
Utica, Sept. 22.
At the Utica dairy board of trade today the offering of cheese was 88 lots of 7,247 boxes. Large white and colored sold at 19 1/2 c; small at 19 1/2 c.
BUTTER—Creamery butter, 159 packages at 23 1/2 c.

"Stars" and "Ghosts" at West Point.
In the early days of the United States Military Academy at West Point the men who stood high in the graduating class were called "stars," and the first five names on the list of graduates have always been made conspicuous by having a star placed after them. The men who are less fortunate and who stand nearest the other end of the class are known as "ghosts." The designation "ghost" is a comparatively new one and took the place of "immortal."

Types Not to Blame.
The talented young authoress was almost in tears.

"In that review of my historical novel in this morning's paper," she said, "you made a typographical error and called it a 'hysterical' novel."

"That wasn't a typographical error, madam," said the literary editor, with a frosty eye—Chicago Tribune.

Mr. D. P. Dangerty well known throughout Mercer and Sumner counties, W. Va., most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea; was attended by two physicians who gave him little, if any, relief, when a neighbor learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured him in less than twenty-four hours. Sold by Dr. Dunn druggist, Tionesta, W. G. Wilkins, West Hickory, Pa.

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His Life Saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.
"B. L. Byer, a well known cooper of this town, says he believes Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy saved his life last summer. He had been sick for a month with what the doctors call bilious dysentery, and could get nothing to do him any good until he tried this remedy. It gave him immediate relief," says B. T. Little, merchant, Hancock, Md. Sold by Dr. Dunn druggist, Tionesta, W. G. Wilkins, West Hickory, Pa.

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AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

A JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to section ten of article one of the Constitution, so that a discharge of a jury for failure to agree or other necessary cause shall not work an acquittal.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following be proposed as an amendment to the constitution; that is to say, That Section ten of Article one, which reads as follows:

"No person shall, for any indictable offense, be proceeded against criminally by information, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces or in the militia, when in actual service, in time of war or public danger, or by leave of the court for oppression or misdemeanor in office. No person shall for the same offense, be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall private property be taken or applied to public use, without authority of law and without just compensation being first made or secured," be amended so as to read as follows:

No person shall, for any indictable offense, be proceeded against criminally by information except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the militia, when in actual service in time of war or public danger, or by leave of the court for oppression or misdemeanor in office. No person shall, for the same offense, be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; but a discharge of a jury for failure to agree or other necessary cause shall not work an acquittal. Nor shall private property be taken or applied to public use, without authority of law and without just compensation being first made or secured.

A true copy of the Joint Resolution.
W. W. GRIEST, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following be proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:

Amendment.

Add at the end of section seven, article three, the following words: "These before it shall be introduced in the General Assembly, such proposed special or local law shall have been first submitted to a popular vote, at a general or special election, in the locality or localities to be affected by its operation, under an order of the court of common pleas of the respective county after hearing and application granted, and shall have been approved by a majority of the voters at such election." Provided, That no such election shall be held until the decree of court authorizing the same shall have been advertised for at least thirty (30) days in the locality or localities affected, in such manner as the court may direct.

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